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Sir:

PETITION FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.136(a)

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for reply to the Office action dated November 25, 2003 for one month from February 25, 2004 to March 25, 2004.

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